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July 28, 1987

Mr. L. B. Giles
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Ideal Basic Industries
Auxiliary Route Number 3
Morgan, Utah 84050

Dear Mr. Giles:

Re: Mining and Reclamation Plan, Devil's Slide Cement Plant,
ACT/029/001, Morgan County, Utah

The Division has completed its review of your May 8, 1987, Mining and Reclamation Plan for the subject mine. The application adequately addresses the requirements of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act except for two items. Tentative approval of the plan is hereby issued. The two remaining items are:

1. The Division needs to determine the requirements for the bond based on the proposed reclamation plan. (We will follow-up with you on this matter when our people are available.)
2. Due to the long life and dynamic nature of the operations, it is difficult at this time to foresee exactly what measures will need to be taken upon final reclamation. Therefore, it is recommended that the following stipulation be placed on the final permit:

Stipulation M-10

The operator shall commit to providing detailed reclamation designs for the operation within the final five-year permit term, or, within 180 days prior to commencement of reclamation operations. Designs for reclamation of the site shall include but not be limited to: drainage design and reconstruction, mass balance for earthwork and grading, removal of impoundments, stability analysis, monitoring, and other such site specific reclamation requirements that may be needed to effect reclamation of the operations.

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We appreciate your efforts in submitting the plan. We will now prepare a summary of the Mining and Reclamation Plan for the appropriate newspaper agencies for publication.

Assuming that no adverse comments are received during the 30-day public notice period, the Division will proceed with final approval pending receipt of the reclamation surety.

Sincerely,

Frank Jensen
for

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